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SCHOOLS WILL **OPEN HERE ON** SEPT. 24TH

School work for Sierra Madre pupils, both in the elementary and high school grades, will begin on Monday, September 24.

Principal Keith M. Walker announces that all pupils in the local school should report for registration on Friday, Sept. 21. Tney should bring with them their report cards of last year and also their vaccination records or cards indicating that their parents are opposed to the vaccination process.

Buildings Improved

During the summer the whole school plant has been given a thorough cleaning, all the buildings were painted and everytning put in first class shape. The school authorities request all parents to impress on their children's minds the importance of using and protecting public property with the utmost care. Kindergarten Age

Lest there be any doubt in the minds of parents wishing to send their children to kindergarten or first grade for the first time, attention is called by Mr. Walker to the following state regulation: All children whose fifth birthday comes on or be-Feb. 1, 1918 may enter the kindergarten, and all children whose sixth birthday comes on or before Feb. 1, 1918, will enter the first grade whether they have had the kindergarten work or not.

There will be no important changes in the general policy of the school the coming year, with the exception that departmental work will receive more attention in the three upper grades.

LEMONS AS A HEALTH FOOD

Of more than a thousand women who responded to requests for information on their use of lemons in a recent investigation, many revealed some unusual uses for lemons. Most of these extra comments were written on the margins of the inquiry blank. The fact that they made special efforts to send in their individual uses may be taken to indicate that these women were especially appreciative of the efficacy of the lemon. Here are

"I find lemon juice most excellent for hardening the gums in wearing artificial teeth."

some of the comments:

"A little lemon juice in the wash boiler whitens the clothes.' "Attacks of indigestion are re-

lieved by lemon juice." "Half a lemon eaten several times a day breaks up a cold.' "I use the inner skins of lemons to make strawberry jelly

thicken." "Lemon juice removes burn stains from fine textures."

"To clean straw hats, make a paste of sulphur and lemon juice. Cover the hat with it and brush off after twelve hours."

shoe polish; also cleans tan social. Mr. Wilson is now taking shoes."

stains on wood removes them." baby's health."

candy which he eats with a half no evening service. lemon. He soaks the candy in the juice and seems to like the combination."

Miss Julia Smith returned this the Woman's Club House every week to her home in Santa Bar- Sunday at eleven A. M. Subbara, after having spent several ject September 16, "Substance." weeks in Sierra Madre. |Sunday School at 9:30.

TRUSTEES' SESSION PEACEFUL AND SHORT

Report of Auditor for Year War Cooperation Has Done the Shows Receipts Exceeded Expenditures

Although there was a large attendance at last night's meeting of the city trustees, whatever expectation of excitement had caused it was doomed to disappointment. The session was placid and adjournment early.

An ordinance reducing the lilaundry and tailoring business was adopted.

City Engineer Bixby who has construction near Oxnard for two months, was present and requested an extension of his leave of absence as the work will continue for some time. Such engineering work as is needed by the city is looked after by was formerly city engineer for South Pasadena.

The board adopted a resolution extending the thanks of the city to Col. Hutchins and the other officers and men of the 7th regiment at Arcadia for their very valuable assistance in fight-

Auditor's Report

The report of H. Ivor Thomas on his audit of the city's books for the fiscal year ending June 30 was presented. In the report Mr. Thomas called attention to a slight excess of receipts over car, every mile of track and expenditures as an indication of every piece of railway equipmore careful handling of the ment in the country. It has alcity's finances. He also said the so facilitated the securing of inaccounting was in better shape than ever before.

In dealing with the handling of the city's tax collections by the county Mr. Thomas said he did not believe the city was receiving all it was entitled to on delinquent tax penalties. Chairman Dietz was authorized to investigate the facts at the Hall of Records.

Chairman Dietz called attention to the large overdraft on last year's budget allowance for street work, which had been made up by the saving in other departments. He cautioned the street superintendent and committee on srteets against allowing such a condition to recur.

TURN ON THE LIGHT" TOPIC FOR SUNDAY

"Turn on the Light" will be Mr. Wilson's subject next Sunday morning at the union Congregational church. This will be the second discourse based on the general subject taken up on last Sunday, "The Religious Awakening Needed Today." The sermon last Sunday occasioned much discussion. Mr. Wilson asserted that the Christian Religion had been tried for nineteen centuries, but that the Religion of Christ remained to be tried. He attacked creeds, cant and transportation plans. dogma, and contended that the religion for the times must be "Lemon juice makes a fine scientific, ethical, spiritual and up these four phases of the sub-"Lemon rubbed on grease ject separately, dealing with the first one next Sunday morning "Lemon juice restored the under the caption: 'Turn on the handled in unexampled volume, "The only candy our baby is is invited to hear these timely alone 6,000,000 more tons of fuel permitted to eat is peppermint topics discussed. There will be than they ever carried before.

> CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Christian Science Society of Sierra Madre hold services in

WHAT EFFICIENCY DID FOR THE RAILROADS

Seemingly Impossible In Recent Months

American railroads achieved the astounding feat of adding to their freight service, in the short space of two years, an amount equal to the freight this week. This makes a total This fact was combined. censes charged for poolroom, brought out by William Sproule, chairman of the Western Department of the Railroads' War Board who summarized the results accomplished by the organization during the first four months of its existence.

"Information in our posession" said Mr. Sproule, "indicates that the voluntary act of the 693 railroads of this country in merging their competitive nis partner, Mr. McMillan who activities for the period of the war and uniting in one continental system, has not only made the transportation problem presented by the war less cumbersome to handle, but surer of satisfactory solution.

Co-operation Beats Competition "In addition to welding into ing the mountain fire last week. one loyal army the 1,750,000 persons employed by the railroads -from engine wipers to presidents-the co-ordination of the nation's carriers has made possible the most intensive use of every locomotive, every freight valuable co-operation from the shippers and the general public."

As concrete instance of what has been accomplished through this co-operation of the railroads the shippers and the public since April 21, when the War Board was created, is summarized by Mr. Sproule as follows:

Some Things Accomplished

Excess of unfilled car requisitions over idle cars, or what is commonly called car shortage, reduced 70 per cent.

Freight transportation service in May 16.1 per cent in excess of that rendered in 1916 which was 24 per cent greater than in 1915.

20,000,000 miles of train serce saved for essential freight ly elimination of unnecessary passenger trains.

113,420 empty freight cars, irrespective of ownership orred into districts where most are needed, a policy brand new in American railroading.

Regulating abnormal export movement of 75,682,628 bushels of wheat, corn, barley, and oats to allies from May I to July 14 wi h no delays or no blocking of facilities.

Secured nationwide co-operation in intensive car loading.

Stationed trained railroad men at every cantonment and at Washington headquarters to cooperate with the Government in

Perfected plans for moving 1,000,000 men from five thousand different points to the 32 training camps by October 20 with equipment to fill 12,000 freight cars.

Freight of all kinds is being Light." The entire community the railroads hauling from mines

"Organization, hard work and the faithful help of the 1,750,000 railroad men," said Mr. Sproule, "is making the accomplishment possible."

Miss Katharine Schwartz has returned to Sierra Madre after a six month's visit in Philadephia. STATUS OF LOCAL MEN IN DRAFT

Record of Those Appearing For P. E. Ry. Begins Campaign to **Examination Before Sixth** District Board

The Fourth call of more than 300 men is being examined by the sixth Los Angeles county exemption board at Alhambra traffic of Great Britian, France, of 1300 men called for examina-Russia, Germany and Austria tion to obatin the district quota of 175 men, including the 10 per cent surplus.

called have been aliens, as many shows that the number of accimore have been physically disqualified, and a large proportion 1000 automobiles, as against of those accepted have claimed 2.00 per 1000 in 1916 and 1.69 exemptions. It is impossible to per 1000 for the six months endsay what proportion of the ex- ing June 30, 1917. emption claims will be granted.

Behind in Work

The work of the district board appears to be lagging behind that of other boards. Chairman Thompson says they have not incurred the expense for extra help that has been used in some districts.

Consequently, while results of examinations and exemption claims in other districts have been published regularly and fully, it has been very difficult to obtain information of any kind as to the status of affairs here. So for only 52 men have been certified for service from this

district, including only maurice Goldberg and John Lorenzini from Sierra Madre. It seems to be the policy of the board to withhold all information except as certification is made to the informed at the time.

vocate who are near enough to months of 1917. board headquarters to keep tab on examinations from day to day, the News is able to present biles, in 1915, was 110 times the following partial list of the greater than persons struck by Sierra Madre men and their present status. Explanatory in 1916 and 169 times greater signs are as follows:

* indicates discharge on physical grounds.

† indicates acceptance and no exemption claim. a indicates men known to be

aliens.

m indicates men now in military service.

Absence of a mark indicates men accepted who have filed exemption claim or whose status is unknown.

Claude Harriman.

Elmer McInturff.

Maurice Goldberg.

George Kehlet. E. D. Wheeler.

C. O. Damerow.

W. W .Vannier.

* W. H. Ingraham.

John Lorenzini. Wm. Dennison. M. H. Clark

* Frank A. Spencer.

a S. Hamane.

* Dick Boyd. * C. L. Tarter.

a S. Oka.

A. Andrado. a G. Kurokawa.

J. A. Kampf.

* A. G. Reuter. * C. L. Williams.

m Benjamin Medley. m Hubert Langton.

† J. L. Mooney.

J. L. Berger. * Milton Steinberger.

a H. Kuromya.

Jack Rower. Norman T. Olsen.

* W. C. Lynch.

m Raymond D. Andrews. M. A. Hope.

* Frank Hildebrandt. John Schweich.

Henry M. Olsen.

J. W. Brunson. The following were among the ald C. Ashmore.

ACCIDENTS INCREASE FASTER THAN AUTOS

Reduce Accident Menace

G. H. Grace, secretary of the central safety committee of the Pacine Electric, is preparing to maugurate a campaign for the special purpose of reducing auto-

as follows:

"A comparison of the total number of accidents with the About 25 per cent of the men total number of automobiles dents during 1915 was 2.20 per

> "When it is realized that each automobile crosses our tracks many times each day and that we operate more than 7000 separate train and car movements daily along and across hundreds of streets and highways, it is readily seen that the percentage of accidents in the aggregate is exceedingly small.

avoidable and most, if not all, area where there was no danger were due to the reckless disre- of spreading. gard of consequences on the part of the drivers.

"As a comparison, our records show that 138 persons were struck by cars in 1915 and 119 in 1916, the monthly average being 11.5 and 9.9, respectively, and for the first six months of 1917 the average is 6.3.

"However, the population has increased from approximately district board. Each man reject- 600,000 in 1915 to 750,000 in ed on physical examination is so 1917, the accident ratio being .02 persons per 1000 population Through the kindness of the in 1915, .015 per 1000 in 1916 publishers of the Alhambra Adand .01 per 1000 for the first six

"In other words, the number of accidents per 1000 automocars per 1000; 133 times greater in 1917.

"At the same time, proportionately with the increase in the number of automobiles and of the winter rains. population, police records will doubtless show a steady increase in the number of accidents involving pedestrians and automo-

therefore, that the responsibility for the majority of accidents involving automobiles must be placed with the drivers.

"The railway car travels in a fixed path and cannot cut corners nor dodge in and out to prevent an accident; the very celerity of movement or 'get up and get' possibility of the automobile invites the driver to take a chance, which is all the greater reason for extra watchfulness and care on the part of motormen in looking out for the other fellow."

CANADIANS HOLD SOCIAL EVENING

The Canadian Society of Southern California will hold their monthly social evening next Tuesday evening at the Gamut Club, 1040 S. Hope St., Los dancing, cards and refreshments. Come and meet old ac- after Trinity. Holy Communion quaintances. Every Canadian is welcome.

their status cannot be given:

FIRST DEATH IN A FOREST RESERVE FIRE

Jose Garcia who was reported in last week's News as terribly burned while fighting the fire on the mountain side above the mobile accidents. In the study Hastings ranch, died last Saturof the situation Grace reports day. It is said this is the first fatality on record in connection with the fighting of fires in the Angeles forest reserve.

Garcia leave sa wife and three children. It is possible provision will be made for them, either by direct indemnity or a pension.

Hard to Extinguish The main fire was all out by last Friday. But patrols were kept up until Tuesday, watchfor fires originating from embers which had been carried into the nearby brush and broke into flame after smouldering for

days. Two fires broke out as late as Wednesday, one in the vosburg Canyon and one in the Baney "All of these casualities were canyon. Each was in a burned

Good Use for Army

The excellent service done by the militiamen from the camp at Arcadia proved the good results which might be a ccomplished by cooperation between the army and the forest service in time of peace. An army post somewhere along the forest reserve would provide a mobile force of fire fighters, composed of men accustomed to working together and under orders.

Effects of Fire

The tragedy of the black and grey slopes of the Hastings canyon will enforce the lesson of fire protection for some time to come. The soil is denuded of a thick brush growth requiring

many years to replace. The most immediate effect will be the diminishing of the ranch water supply until the soil has a covering which will prevent the immediate run-off

Greatly increased erosion is also a certainty. It will be surprising if the first heavy raing do not bring down gravel deposits which will cover the P. E. "It would seem quite evident, tracks and interfere with car service.

MICHIGAN PEOPLE WILL HOLD PICNIC

Hello there, all you Wolverines! Wherever you are listen to the call to attend the great fall picnic reunion o fthe Michigan people from all over our Southland, under the auspices of the Michigan Association of Southern California.

It is to be a happy social gathering for all the folks from the old home state and will be held in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles, all day, Saturday, September 22nd, 1917. Come as early in the morning as you can and stay all day long.

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Chrurch of the Ascension, the Muiscal program, Rev. Dr. Geo. H. Cornell, Rector. Vested choir, Fifteenth Sunday 7:30 A. M. Sunday School 9:45. Morning Prayer and sermon, 11 A. M. At this serivce the Rector last called for examination and will begin a series of three sermons on "Daniel, the Prophet."

Battista Sartori, Sidney Cor- A week's Pilgrimage of Praynuelle, V. A. Hoegee, C. L. Grigs- er will be observed at the church by, C. J. A. Peterson, A. W. beginning with Sunday services. Nobles, O. C. Ferris, Gail Wil- The church will be open for liams, M. Odem, F. S. Miner, prayer every day except Satur-H. H. Hopkins, C. W. Millard, day at 10:00 A. M. A very Walter Zachau, Victor Hill, Don-cordial invitation is extended to

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A .T. Gay returned on Sunday (Francisco.

Paul Niles has enlisted in the 6th Infantry and is now in camp at Arcadia.

Mrs. S. R. G. Twycross has retruned home after a pleasant stay at Ocean Park.

Miss Verna Trible entertained the Eleven and One club at her home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson and family motored to Long Beach and spent the day on Tuesday. Mrs. Emma Wallace of Los Angeles is occupying her bunglow on Bonita Avenue recently

vacated by E. T. Hills. Mrs. Marie Watson returned on Thursday from a delightful trip of two months through

Oregon and Washington. Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Denison of South Baldwin Ave., expect to move to Glendale on Oct. 1 to make their home there.

Mrs. E. J. Morgridge is enjoying a visit from Mrs. Hulda the very newest and latest fea-M. Smith of Los Angeles and Miss Pearl Perney of Wilton, Ia.

The Misses Johnson of West Montecito Ave., expect to move about October 1 to Long Beach lian Eltinge, favorite stage playwhere they will make their er and undoubtedly the leading

Mr .and Mrs. Eugene T. Hills the world. and son Thayer and Mrs .Hills last Saturday.

on Wednesday after spending Wells. his Alegria Ave., residence.

visited relatives and friends. fascinating coiffeurs.

Laurance Nourse came down after a fortnight's stay in San from Arvin this week and enlisted in the Marine Corps.

> Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vannier and Miss Marian Vannier are spendin gthe week in San Diego. Mrs. C. W. Jones and daugh-

> ter Virginia have returned from a lengthy stay at Long Beach. Mrs. George F. Ferris is in San Diego enjoying a visit with her daughter, Miss Katherine

P. Ferris. Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Kelly of mountain Trail Ave., will leave on Saturday for Glendale to make their home for an in

definite period. Miss Alice Irene Bird, daughter of Dr. W. W. Bird and formerly a resident of Sierra Madre, was married in Los Angeles this week to Mr. Edwin W. Waller of Monrovia.

"JULIAN ELTINGE" ON THE SCREEN

Always first in the first with tures, Mr. W. H. Clune has arranged for the appearance at the Auditorium, Los Angeles, for the commencing Sept. 17, of Juportrayer of feminine parts, in

This is the initial appearance mother, Mrs. Hunt, who have re- of Mr. Eltinge on the screen. sided o nBonita Ave., the past His first picture-play, entitled two years ,removed to Pasadena "Countless Charming," is a delightful comedy, cleverly written E .J. Webster returned home by Gelett Burgess and Carolyn

three months in his summer Mr. Eltinge in supported by an home at Bay View, Idaho. He exceptionally capable company. Its makers have built up an will enjoy an outing at the sea Of course the entire interest of enormous trade and now ship shore before settling down in the picture centers about the so roofing materials to a number of Miss Avis Preston returned Eltinge, with his marvelous ing a very large and growing dohome on Thursday from a trip gowns, elaborate and exception-mestic business. of a month to Seattle and other ally stylish millinery creations, places in Washington where she gorgeous wraps and cloaks and

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The proceeds will be devoted to the purchase of wool to be used by the auxiliary in knitting necessary articles for the boys who are now at Camp Mills Garden City, N. Y., awaiting transportation to France. It is hoped that the friends of the Sierra Madre boys who are members of this company will attend in force. Admission 25c. Tickets may be purchased of Mrs. L. E. Steinberger.

ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT AT THE GARAGE

Battery charging will be done in Sierra Madre now, the Sierra Madre Garage having installed a new outfit which is the latest thing in the electrical world.

The generator is motor driven from the 110-volt lighting curcuit, producing the direct current which is necessary for the charging of storage bateries.

This new feature will prove of great convenience to car owners and should mean a great deal more patronage to the garage which comes so much nearer to giving complete service now.

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MEN ARE WANTED FOR THE MARINES

There seems to be a general impression throughout this Recruiting District that the Navy is full, and that no more enlistments are being made. This is not the case, as we now have vacancies for over 20,000 enlisted men in the Navy, and are especially in need of mechanics, cooks, bakers and musicians, these being among the best paid ratings in the naval service.

Yours respectfully, W. R. CUSHMAN Lieutenant U. S. N. Ret'd., Recruiting Officer.

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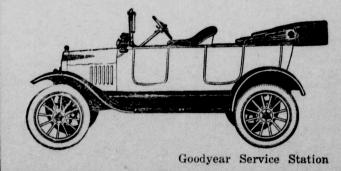
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Approved, July 17, 1917."

NEW ELECTRICAL WAYS OF DOING A new electrical alarm clock

winds itself. Life buoys on ocean steamships are equipped with tiny

electrical lighting systems. Sheep are sheared twice as fast with an electric sheepshearing machine as they were

formerly by hand. An electrically operated garage door open automatically on the approach of an automobile and closes again when it is safely inside.

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BREAKING BAD NEWS MILDLY

in and about Chicago, know of Dr. C. A. White, veterinarian. The doctor has the following in American Journal of Veterinary Medicine, under a heading of "Embarrassing Moments:"

About the most embarrassing circumstances that ever confronted me on a professional call occurred, a good nished. Both complete with many years ago, when one of my cli- screen porches and baths. Conents called me to see the family dog, venient to car line. C. B. Reas a bitch, that I had treated a number Black 49. of times before. The dog was very old and had recently gone blind and was in an almost helpless condition. I advised that the animal be humanely FOR SALE-White Leghorn put out of misery, to which my client consented and the animal was de-stroyed. This occurred on the ground floor in a rather large apartment building, and as I was leaving I met in the hallway an old lady whom I had never seen before. She immediately said: "Good morning doctor, how's the patient?" I thought perhaps she was some relative of my clihaps she was some relative of my client and knew all about the case, since she addressed me as doctor. After a slight hesitation, I said: "Well, the old bitch was blind and generally helpless and we thought it best to put her out of the way, so I just chloroformed her." Just as I got that far, the old lady let out a scream and then another and then another and fell down in a heap on the floor and fell down in a heap on the floor and commenced to sway and moan. I think everybody in the apartment house came out and hung over their banisters and then came down stairs Madre, Cal. or Phone Green 37.

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banisters and then came down stairs to find out what was the matter. I didn't know, but the questioning developed the fact that this old lady's sister who lived on the upper floor was then very low and the doctor was coming to see her every morning, and she was blind. The old lady could see but poorly herself and seeing me with my medicine case took me for the family doctor. She is the disturbance because I told her, as she thought, that her sister was out of her misery.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION

Sheriff's Sale No. B16062 Vesper, Plaintiff, vs. Colyer, et Defendants.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, wherein A. E. Vesper, suing as sole surviving partner of the partnership of Venton L. Carroll and A. E. Vesper, doing business under the name for ca and style of Pacific Transfer Van and States. and style of Pacific Transfer Van and Storage Company, plaintiff, and I. S. Colyer and Martha Carroll, defendants, upon a judgment rendered the 7th day of January, A. D. 1916 for the sum of Twenty-one hundred sixty and 95-100 (\$2160.95) Dollars lawful money of the United States, besides costs and interest, I have levied upon the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant Martha Carrall of, in and to the following described real estate.

defendant Martha Carrall of, in and to the following described real estate, situate in the city of Pasadena, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lot 10 of the Oak Villa Tract as per map recorded in book 6, page 6 of maps of said Los Angeles County.

Lot 18 of S. D. Bryant's Subdivision of the east portion of lot 9, in block "D" San Pasqual Tract, Pasadena, as per map recorded in book 12, at page 39 of miscellaneous records of said Los Angeles County.

Los Angeles County.

Public notice is hereby given, that I will, on Monday the 24th day of September, A. D. 1917, at 12 o'clock M. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles and the Co geles Broadway entrance, sell at public auction, for lawful money of the United States. all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant Martha Carroll of, in and to the above

"Please, ma'am, your dog has killed three of father's prize fowls!" said the shall boy.

"Oh, I'm sure my Fido would never do such a thing," said the old lady. "But father saw one of the chickens in his mouth," said the boy.

"Merely circumstantial evidence," she snapped ,and the boy departed. Some time latter he returned.

"Please, mum, father sent me to tell you that circumstantial evidence might point to his having shot your dog but he reckons you'll find he died of lead poisoning."

Lady-"Is that a pedigreed dog?" Dealer-"Pedigreed! Why, if that dog could talk, he wouldn't speak to either of us."-Everybody's.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Sheriff's Sale No. B51383 Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale Catherine Braun, Plaintiff, vs. Emma

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Lot 35 of a subdivision of the Mullens Tract according to the official map thereof recorded in book 5, page 360, miscellaneous records in the of fice of the county recorder of Los Angeles County. Together with all geles County. Together with all buildings and improvements thereon or that may be erected on said prem ises; together with all hereditaments and appurtenances including water, water rights, pipes, flumes and ditches thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and the reversions, re mainders, rents, issues and profits

Public notice is hereby given, that, on Monday the 8th day of October A. D. 1917, at 12 o'clock, M. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much there of as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash gold coin of the United

Dated this 13th day of September, JNO. C. CLINE, Sheriff of Los Angeles County. By W. T. Osterholt, Deputy Sheriff. Crouch&Crouch, Plaintiff's Attorneys. 50-53

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS

Fictitous Firm Name The undersigned, I do hereby certify that I am conducting a Retail Meat Market business at Number (2) North Baldwin Avenue, Sierra Madre, California, under the fictitious firm name of Central Market, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows.

William Dennison, Sierra Madre, California. Witness my hand this 16th day of August, 1917.

WILLIAM DENNISON.
State of California, County of Los

Angeles, ss.
On this 16th day of August in the year nineteen hundred and seventeen, before me A. N. Adams, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing the commissioned and therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared William Dennison known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.

A. N. ADAMS, described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said Judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1917.

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By W. T. Osterholt, Deputy Sheriff.
G. Roy Pendell, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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EDITORIAL CHAT

FREE AID FOR THE RANCHERS

A visit to the Citrus Experiment station of the University of California at Riverside gives a pretty good idea of the wonderful amount of help that is placed within the reach of the ranchers who will only avail themselves of it. The station is just moving into magnificent new buildings, arranged and equipped like a school, for laboratory and lecture room work. The site consists of a large tract of raw land on which model orchads will be grown and experiments carried on. In addition, there is an old orange ranch in the Arlington district which was taken over three yeasr ago for experimental work. This has been divided into a large number of plots, on each of which a different method of fertilization, irrigation or pruning has been in use. Results are carefully noted, and the casual visitor can see for himself, under the guidance of an expert, the results produced by the different methods. A little time spent there might easily be worth many dollars to any rancher.

HENRY FORD ON DELAY IN ENTERING WAR

Henry Ford, who was widely criticized for his activity in behalf of peace before the United States entered the war, has done with the pacifists now and is fully convinced that the struggle to make the world safe for democracy must go on until German autocracy is deprived of the power to menace free institutions in other lands. Under the circumstances his present point of view is interesting. He explains it as follows:

"I cannot see that any great harm has come in waiting until now with our war preparations. Things have moved so fast in a mechanical way since this war began that many things that were new three years ago are out of date now.

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"A great many of the men who work on these cylinders are of German birth, and they are just as keen for stamping out militarism as any of us. We all want the war stopped, and the way to stop it is to let the world know that this country is in it for all it is worth."

As to the price of the cylinders he is making, Mr. Ford says he is willing to leave it to the government to allow him fair compensation and does not ask or expect profit. He adds that it costs very little more to produce steel now than it did before the war. There will be interest in watching to see if this expression of opinion elicits a retort from gentlemen engaged in the steel business.

SECRETARY MeADOO ON SECOND LIBERTY LOAN

It is contemplated that the Second Liberty Loan campaign will close on the 1st of November, next, and that the active campaign will begin not later than October 1st.

The details of the loan cannot be given out until the Congress has acted upon the bond bill now pending. As soon as the new law has been passed announcement of the details of the loan will be made. Obviously no subscriptions will be received or can be received to the new loan until the Congress has acted upon the pending measure and announcement made.

I earnestly hope that all Liberty Loan committees already existing will perfect their organizations immediately and get themselves in readiness for the next Liberty Loan campaign, and that new organizations will be effected wherever possible throughout the country for furthering this great service to the Nation.

As in the previous loan, the general direction of the campaign in each Federal Reserve District will be under the supervision of the Federal Reserve Bank of that District as fiscal agent of the government, and all Liberty Loan committees are urged to get in touch with the Federal Reserve Bank of their District and actively engage in the preliminary work of preparing for the next campaign.-William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury.

WHERE THE TAXES SHOULD BE HEAVIEST

Attention is called to the fact that the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce after an investigation announced that 10,000 new dwellings, to rent under \$22 a month, were needed at once. Coincident with this is the statementbut not by the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce—that there are 50,000 vacant building sites in the city, held largely by members of the real estate board and the Chamber of Commerce for speculative purposes. An attempt is reported looking to the organization of a company of employers to build 100 to 2000 such houses. Two hundred houses will not have much effect in meeting the demand of 10,000 families, but it will have an appreciable effect in increasing the demand for lots. How long is this to continue? By what right does any man hold a building site vacant while another lacks a place to shelter his family? The settlement of this question awaits only the conclusion of the war. Both the need for revenue and the demand for food point to the taxation of land values, and the lesson learned in war must not be forgotten in peace. The public

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- 3. Making Camp-Build a small camp fire. Build it in the open, not against a tree or log, nor within fifteen feet of standing brush. Scrape away the trash from all around 4. Leaving Camp—Never leave a camp fire, even for a short
- time, without quenching it with water and then covering it with earth.
- 5. Bonfires—Bonfires are not permitted on the Angelus National Forest.
- 6. Fighting Fires-If you find a fire, try to put it out. If you can't, get word to the nearest U.S. Forest Ranger or State Fire Warden at once. Keep in touch with the